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Seattle, Washington 98109
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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Applicant acknowledges receipt of an Office Action dated 09/03/2002. Also filed simultaneously herewith is a Petition and Fee for an Extension of Three Month's Time within which to file this Amendment and Response. Applicant responds to the Examiner's concerns as follows:

AMENDMENT

In the Claims:

Please amend Claims as follows:

8. A method of treating an amyloid disease in a patient, comprising the step of administering to the patient a therapeutically effective amount of a combination of Ginkgo Biloba and plant matter from a plant of the genus *Uncaria*, species *tomentosa*, in combination with a therapeutically effective amount of one or more substances selected from the group consisting of Ginseng,

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